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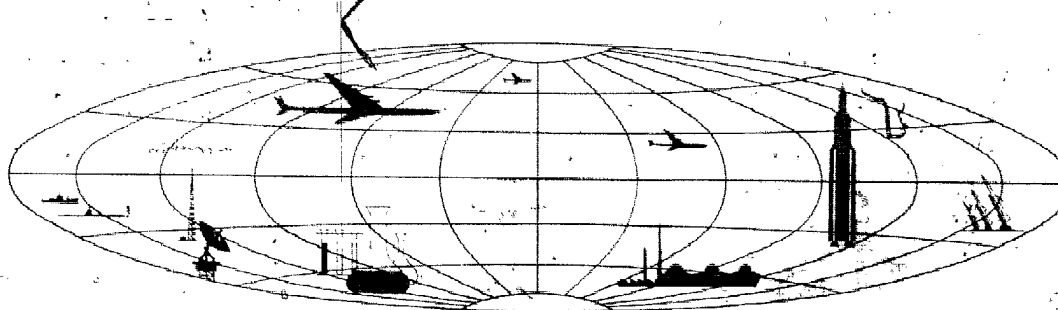
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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training area or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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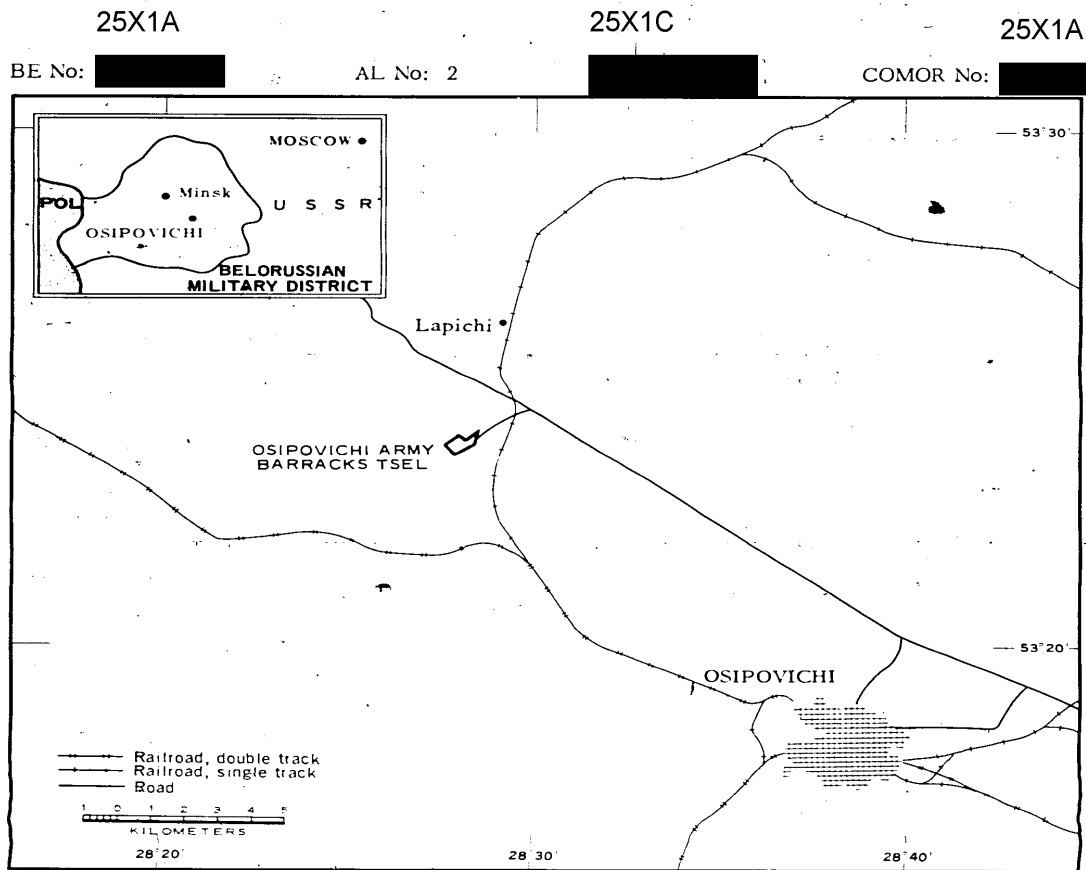
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OSIPOVICH I ARMY BARRACKS TSEL

(53-24N 028-28E)

LAPICHI, MOGILEVSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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SUMMARY

Osipovich Army Barracks Tsél is located 5 kilometers (km) south of Lapichi (53-25N 28-29E) on the north side of the Minsk-Osipovich railroad (Figure 1). Not served by a rail spur, the installation does have a secondary road connection with the Minsk-Bobruysk highway. Osipovich Army Barracks Lapichi (AL-1) is located 3.5 km north and Osipovich military areas AL-1 and AL-2 and TA-1 and TA-2 are located in the Osipovich area, 16 km to the southwest. The Lapichi Radio Relay and Broadcast Station is located 6 km east on the

primary road between Minsk and Bobruysk.

The installation covers approximately 70 acres and includes one administration building, four barracks, 11 storage buildings and 11 support buildings (Figures 2 and 3).

The area is partially covered by TALENT photography and is covered by KEYHOLE missions between [REDACTED]. Comparative analysis revealed the same general level of usage between [REDACTED] with no significant changes.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The installation is one km west of the single track branch line from the Minsk-Osipovich rail line.

Road Service

A secondary probable all-weather access road connects with the Minsk-Bobruysk primary road.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D (Figure 3) contains one administration building, four barracks and three sup-

port buildings--all constructed prior to [REDACTED]

Track activity indicates probable occupancy of the buildings.

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General Storage Area

Area E contains eight storage and four support buildings. Track activity indicates probable occupancy of the buildings.

Other Buildings

The northeast section of the installation contains three storage and four support buildings. Track activity indicates probable occupancy of the buildings.

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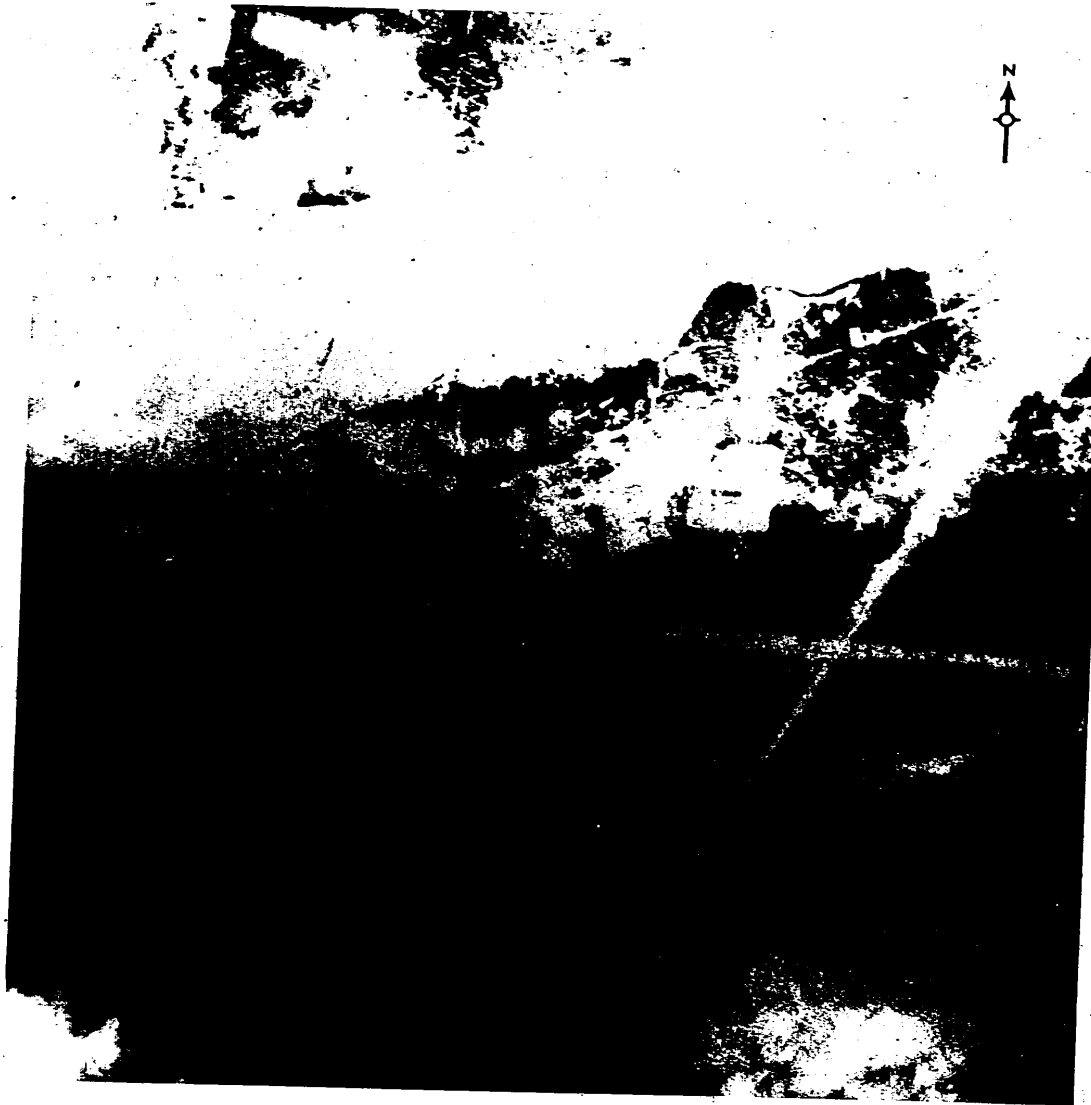


FIGURE 2. OSIPOVICHY ARMY BARRACKS TSEL, [REDACTED]

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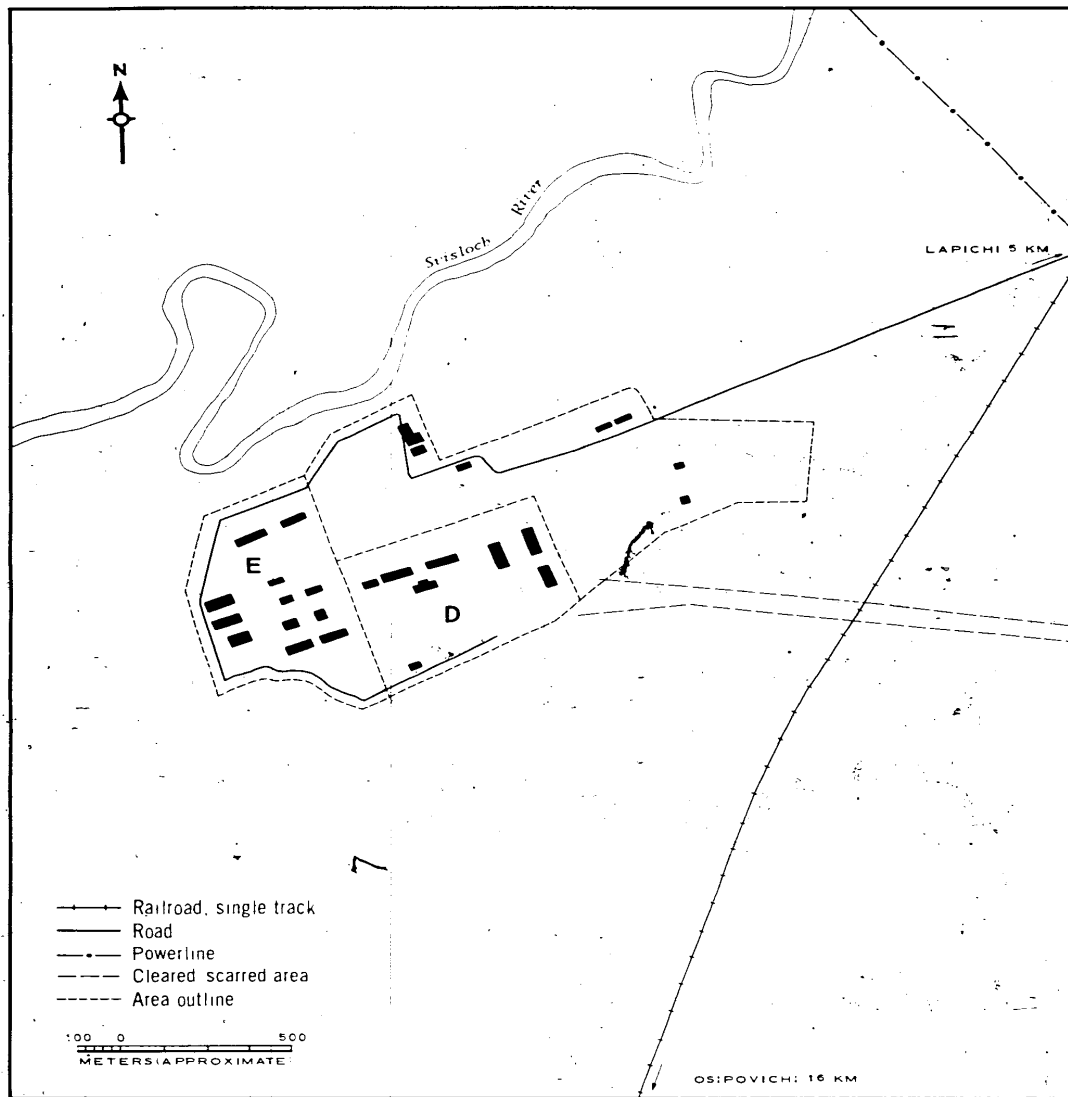


FIGURE 3. OSIPOVICHY ARMY BARRACKS TSEL. Sketch compiled from

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